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Via Electronic Filing

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: WT Docket Nos. 96-86 and 06-169

Ex Parte Notice

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 14, 2007, Andrew Rein and the undersigned on behalf of Access Spectrum, LLC, met with Jeff Cohen of the Public Safety & Homeland Security Bureau. Access Spectrum discussed the Commission's authority to reallocate a portion of the Upper 700 MHz B Block to public safety use under the Broadband Optimization Plan, consistent with its written submission on March 2, 2007 in the above-referenced dockets. The enclosed slides were discussed during the course of the meeting.

Pursuant to the Commission's rules, this letter is being submitted for inclusion in the public record in the above-referenced proceedings.

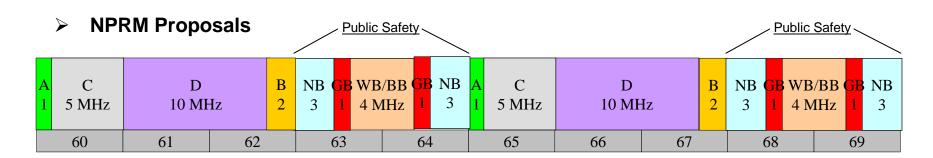
Sincerely,

/s/ Ruth Milkman
Ruth Milkman

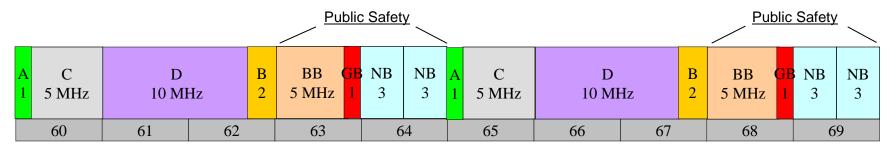
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cc: Jeff Cohen

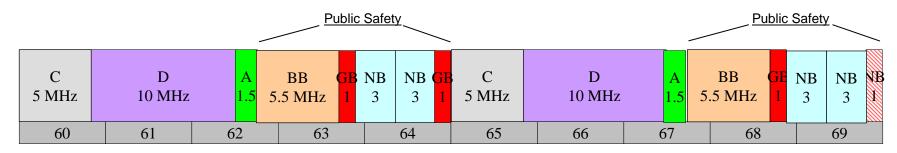
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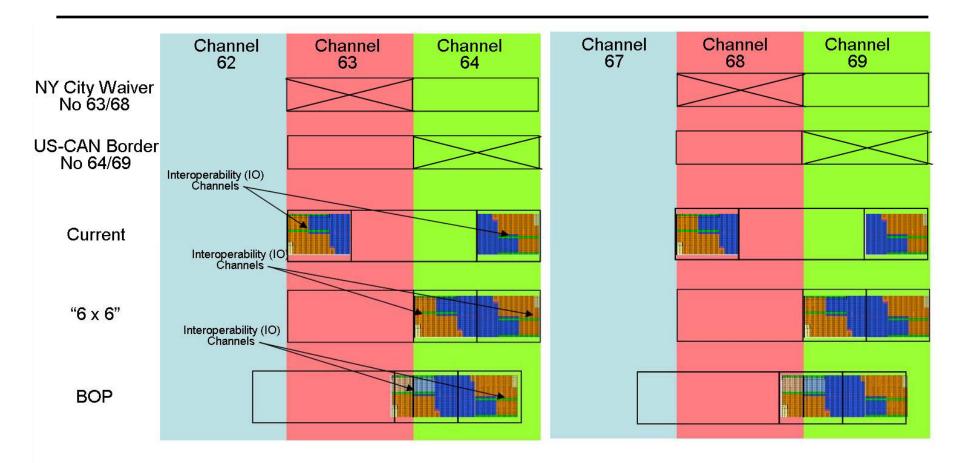
### ➤ The 6+6 Plan



### > The Broadband Optimization Plan



## The Canadian Border Issue



### Constraints:

- Public Safety Band Plan must satisfy the need for fixed interoperability channels with some available under all circumstances
- Canada has no official plan to transition channel 64 & 69
- NY City to use channels 64 & 69

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